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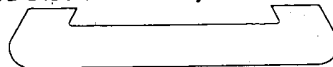
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NPIC/PEG (3/82)SECOND BMD-EQUIPPED BATTALION
KOSTROMA ARMY BARRACKS EAST AL 2, USSR

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1. (S/D) SIGNIFICANCE: A SECOND BATTALION OF THE AIRBORNE REGIMENT HOUSED AT THE BARRACKS IS NOW EQUIPPED WITH BMD ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS.
2. (S/D) REMARKS: THE AIRBORNE REGIMENT HAS RETURNED TO GARRISON AND MOST OF THE EQUIPMENT IS PARKED IN THE OPEN IN THE VEHICLE PARK. AT LEAST 50 BMD ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS (APC), 12 PROBABLE BMD APC, AND APPROXIMATELY 20 SUPPORT VEHICLES ARE PRESENT. THIS IS THE LARGEST NUMBER OF BMD SEEN AT THIS FACILITY AND INDICATES THAT A SECOND BATTALION OF THIS REGIMENT IS NOW BMD EQUIPPED. TWENTY-NINE BMD APC WERE PRESENT WHEN THIS UNIT WAS LAST SEEN IN GARRISON [REDACTED] IN ADDITION, AT LEAST 50 PERSONNEL ARE INVOLVED IN A PARACHUTE PACKING EXERCISE ON THE PARADE GROUND.

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(S/D) KOSTROMA ARMY BARRACKS EAST AL 2, IN THE MOSCOW MILITARY DISTRICT, IS ON THE EAST EDGE OF KOSTROMA.

3. [REDACTED] COORDINATES 57-46-08N 040-58-17E

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